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MERGENTHALER HORTON-BASKET FACTORY IS SOLD

Eastern Men Talk About Prospects of Such a Plant Without Waste.

Old Company Operated to Sell Stock Only.

S. H. FISH USES THE MACHINES

Fins Lack, representing a coterie of local capitalists, bought in the plant and equipment of the Mergenthaler-Horton Basket factory for \$31,075. Herman Friedman bid \$41,000. Eastern men did not bid in. The part of the property mortgaged to the Mechanics and Farmers bank was first up to \$10,000, but when that and the bids on the remainder of the plant did not come up to the bid on the whole property, it was sold in a lump. One-third must be paid in cash, one-third in six months and one-third in twelve months. The sale must be confirmed by Judge Evans, of the federal court, before it is binding.

M. J. Parkhurst, F. C. Dayton and S. H. Fish, the eastern men representing a syndicate to buy and operate the Mergenthaler-Horton Basket company, went out to the side of that plant held this afternoon at 2 o'clock by H. W. P. Hummel. Until he got on the ground, Mr. Hummel did not know whether he would sell the plant piecemeal or in a lump. The eastern men intimated this morning that they would not allow local bidders to walk away with the plant, though they would not say what limits they would go in the bidding.

Mr. Fish, who uses some of the Mergenthaler machines in his factory at Sudan, N. Y., said this morning that the objection to the machines on account of the waste, could be practically eliminated by careful mechanical supervision. The plant here, he said, was operated to sell stock and not as a money-making industry, and consequently the waste ran to a high per cent of the lumber used, but by the right management this waste ought not to exceed five per cent.

All stock-jobbing schemes for this company in the east at this time are believed by the men here to be fake. The proceeds from the sale will not pay the bondholders, much less the stockholders, and any attempt to deal in the stock of the company while it is in the bankrupt court, would be unprofitable to anybody, who should buy it. An attempt has been made to swap the company's stock in a new company, but the purchaser of the plant this afternoon has the only thing in the corporation worth anything.

It is said that the first mortgage bondholders, including the bank on the real estate, will be paid off in full, and the remaining bondholders will get no rate whatever may be left from the sale money, after they are satisfied.

JUNE TAXES DUE

Mr. George Oehlhaefer has the honor of receiving the first tax receipt for June taxes from City Treasurer Durbin this morning. The first rush to pay taxes was unprecedented and if receipts throughout the month continue at this rate the collections will exceed former years in promptness.

NEW CEMETERY ENTRANCE

Lot owners of Oak Grove cemetery propose to have a handsome entrance erected at the gateway to cost \$2,500. The present entrance will be placed in the colored cemetery. Mayor James P. Smith, Mrs. Joseph Post and Mrs. Emma Noble are promoters of the idea, and Mayor Smith has started the movement with a contribution of \$100. A sketch of the proposed entrance is framed and hung in Mayor Smith's office.

CENTRAL CITY FIRE

Central City, Ky., June 1. (Special)—Albert Anderson's saloon and Mary Rankin's billiard hall were burned at a loss of \$10,000.

Chicago Market.

July—	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat . . .	91 1/4	90 1/4	90 1/4
Corn . . .	68 5/8	67 1/4	68 1/2
Oats . . .	47 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Prov. . .	13.80	13.72	13.72
Lard . . .	8.65	8.55	8.55
Ribs . . .	7.50	7.42	7.42

Tobacco In Independent Prizing House at Hazel Destroyed by Fire of Unknown Origin Last Night

Palmer & Brown Bros. Lose About \$8,000 by Bedtime Blaze—There is No Clew to the Cause.

Hazel, Ky., June 1. (Special)—The independent prizing house of Palmer & Brown Brothers was destroyed by fire last night with a loss of \$8,000 on the building and \$5,000 on the stock of tobacco. The fire was discovered at 10 o'clock, but had gained good headway, and burned the building to the ground with the stock. Insurance for \$10,000 was carried on the building, and probably \$2,000 on the tobacco. The firm was a new one, and the warehouse was just completed last fall, and it was handling its first season's tobacco. The origin of the fire is unknown, but it is believed to have been incendiary. Hazel is located on the state line in Calloway county, and is about 50 miles from Paducah.

The whole inside of the building was ablaze when it was discovered. There is no clew.

Mr. F. E. Brown, one of the stockholders in the prizing house, is in Paducah today, but he knows only the meager facts of the house burning, as he arrived in the city last night. Mr. Brown said he could not say yet whether the house would be rebuilt or not. This is the first tobacco house to burn at Hazel, which is about 10 miles south of Murray.

PADUCAH'S SLICE OF POSTOFFICE PIE WAS \$15,000

Washington, D. C., June 1. (Special)—Among the amounts set aside for Kentucky postoffice buildings during the next fiscal year is \$15,000 for Paducah, secured through the instrumentality of Congressman James on the initiative of Postmaster F. M. Fisher.

WASHINGTON DESERTED

Washington, June 1.—This city is deserted today. Following the adjournment Saturday night of all congressmen, that possibly could, left for their homes. Speaker Cannon and Representative Landis, of Indiana, are making the trip home in Cannon's automobile. The Congressional Record today is extremely bulky. Nearly every congressman availed himself of the "leave to print," and got in speeches for campaign use.

There's a word of difference between attention to details and absorption in trifles.

Harry Cloys left this morning for Union City to visit relatives.

BACCALAUREATE SERMON PREACHED LAST NIGHT BY DR. DAVID CADY WRIGHT

Advises Class to Graduate With Individual Ideals and to Seek First of All Wisdom.

The baccalaureate sermon to the Senior class of the High school was preached last night at the Grace Episcopal church by the rector, the Rev. David Cady Wright. The seniors of the faculty and a good representation of the school attended the baccalaureate service. "Ask What I Shall Give Thee," 1 Kings III, 5, was the subject and Dr. Wright handled it in masterful style.

Beginning his sermon to the graduates Dr. Wright said that at the baccalaureate service we dedicate all that we have gathered up to God, and with words of optimism he told them how that all life was before them if they had a friend, with the advice not to become disengaged for the whole world is open to them to choose what they will, remembering Emerson's "Hitch your wagon to a star."

In his summing up Dr. Wright said there would be days that would be dark, and the graduates would wonder if they had a friend, with the advice not to become disengaged for the whole world is open to them to choose what they will, remembering Emerson's "Hitch your wagon to a star."

In his closing lines Dr. Wright said: "If any of you have a failure in life it is just because you choose it. No one ever loses or is beaten if he tries. If the curtain of time falls and you step off onto the stage of eternity and failure is written opposite your name, it is because you chose it."

"Judge Me, O God," by Dudley Buck, was the evening offering sung by Mr. Robert D. McMillen.

ARRANGEMENTS

FOR FEDERATION FINISHED TODAY

Preliminary Event is Concert of Matinee Musical Club at Eagles' Hall.

Big Reception Tomorrow Night Opens Convention.

WORK OF THE COMMITTEES

Final touches are being made today to the arrangements for the fourteenth annual meeting of the Kentucky State Federation of Woman's clubs, which will be formally opened Tuesday evening with a brilliant reception at the Woman's club building, Sixth street and Kentucky avenue. All the committees have their work in hand and they are waiting now to put their well-digested preparations smoothly into operation. It is what is expected to be the most successful meeting in the history of the federation.

Mrs. James A. Rudy, president of the Woman's club, and chairman of the executive committee, reports that the outlook from her position is for a notable meeting. Her work in the meeting will really begin this evening with the arrival of Mrs. Letcher Riker of Harrodsburg, president of the state federation, and Miss Halton Hardin, also of Harrodsburg, corresponding secretary, who will be her guests. Mrs. Riker and Miss Hardin come in advance of the delegates to take a survey of the field before the opening. Mrs. Riker will preside at all the business sessions.

Mr. E. G. Boone, chairman of the depot reception committee, has completed her plans for meeting the delegates at the trains. (All carriages are to have the colors blue and gold tied on whips.) Members of her committee will begin meeting trains at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning, and all subsequent trains until 6:10 o'clock when the majority of the delegates from the middle of the state will arrive. Private carriages to accommodate ten delegates will be at the Union station and the baggage of the delegates also will be transported to their hotels free of charge. Those delegates who will be guests in private homes, will be carried to their destinations, while the others will be taken to the hotels. All members of the depot committee are expected to meet the 6:10 train.

THE RECEPTION.
Mrs. Museo Birnert, chairman of the reception committee, had a final conference with Mrs. James A. Rudy this morning, over the opening reception Tuesday evening. The members of the receiving line, the refreshments and all details of this most important social function of the meeting, have been arranged. No entertainment in the history of Paducah will rival this in appointments. The tollerettes, both of the local members and the visitors will be memorable. Invitations have been given to the federation visitors, members of the six federated clubs, and the husbands of the members.

CONCERT THIS EVENING.
As a preliminary feature of the federation meeting, the Matinee Musical club, Mrs. Hubbard S. Wells, chairman, will give a concert at the Eagles' hall this evening, in the Verdi quarter of Chicago. Indications point to a good audience and an entertainment of a high order. On Wednesday evening the Matinee Musical club will give a recital to the federation visitors and six local federated clubs, at the Kentucky Avenue Presbyterian church at 9 o'clock. At 11 o'clock a reception will follow the recital, at the Woman's club building, and the active members will receive downstairs, while the

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Partly cloudy with probably showers tonight or Tuesday. Warmer Tuesday. Highest temperature yesterday 85; lowest today 83.

Standard Oil Tanks Menace City, is Opinion of Chief Wood, of Fire Department, and Fire Commission

Both Make Reports, Which Will be Submitted to Board of Councilmen Tonight by Mayor Smith.

rated with oil, making it impossible to stop a fire should it get the advantage of our department. So if it is in the power of the general council I would recommend for the safety of lives and property in that vicinity that this plant be removed to some where in the suburbs of the city, where the danger will not be so great. Respectfully,

J. J. WOOD,
Chief Fire Department.

Fire Commission's Report.

To the Mayor and General Council, Paducah, Ky:

"As you are probably aware, the Standard Oil company has a number of supply tanks existing on its property on Monroe street, in the city of Paducah. These tanks contain large quantities of oil stored there for purposes to be used by the Standard Oil company in its business.

The reports follow:

Chief Wood's Report.
To the Honorable Mayor and General Council of the City of Paducah:

"I beg to report to your honorable body the condition of the Standard Oil company plant located at Tenth and Monroe streets, this city. On May 28 the plant was accidentally fired by an Illinois Central railroad switch engine that was switching cars in the vicinity. The entire frame part of the building with about 11 barrels of oils were destroyed and by hard work and luck of the fire department, we succeeded in stopping the fire where it started. If the wind had been blowing there is no telling where it would have stopped. The neighborhood in that vicinity is mostly settled with residences on the west side. The Foothills Lumber company and T. J. Stahl Tobacco company on the north, the Paducah Brewery company on the east side, Aheuser-Busch Brewing company on the south side, with the Illinois Central tracks running through the block, thus making it very dangerous.

The Standard Oil company has four 500-barrel oil tanks and one gasoline tank on the ground and from 200 to 300 barrels of all kinds of oil in store, and 200 to 500 barrels piled on the lot. The ground is well saturated with oil.

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COMMENCEMENT WEEK FESTIVITIES

Begin With Freshmen and Sophomore Reception.

Examinations in Public Schools Begin Today—Half Pupils Are Exempt By Grades.

NOTES OF LAST WEEK'S WORK

Examinations began in the public schools this morning, and after three days of brain teasing, the children will be through books for the summer. Cards will be distributed Friday morning, and the last formality of the school term will be past. Only about half the pupils had to attend school at all today, as the rule exempting pupils with a high grade has had a wonderful effect in stimulating the interest of attending higher grades. In the High school 25 students were exempt from every exam, and many are exempt in one or two studies.

The school board will meet tomorrow night in regular session, and transact the business that has accumulated and allow salaries. Owing to the reception of the Junior class, the board will rush business and adjourn early so as to be guests. Superintendent Carnagey will present the proposition from the American Manual Training company for installing a system of manual training in the schools. Also Professor Carnagey will recommend to the board that teachers, who have had at least three years' experience, and have done satisfactory work, have their certificates renewed without examinations.

This will include teachers who study at normal schools occasionally, as Superintendent Carnagey does not want to work a hardship on teachers. The renewal of the certificates will include the reading of books during the summer, and the writing of a paper on one of them. Also an educational journal must be taken for a year. It is believed that the recommendations will be accepted by the school board, and the renewal of certificates is followed in other cities.

Tonight the Freshman and Sophomore classes will entertain at the to the Seniors. The hall is prettily decorated with paper streamers of black and gold, and black and orange. An orchestra will play during the evening, and refreshments will be served. While the reception will be informal, it will nevertheless be enjoyable, and the last week of school will be a merry one. Tomorrow evening the Junior class will extend the same hospitality to the seniors.

SCHOOL NOTES.
The Junior B class in chemistry with Prof. C. H. Shreve, of the science department, visited the plant of the Paducah Ice company, and the manufacture of ice was explained.

Miss Belle Ford, of the Washington building, was ill today and also Miss Hattie Sherwin, of the Longfellow. Misses Clara Winston and Miss Inez Bell, of the Cadet class, were substitutes.

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ARRANGEMENTS

CAUSES MRS. T. O. MANN TO SUFFER GREATLY.

Carlisle County Woman Accidentally Shoots Herself With a Flober Rifle.

Fulton, Ky., June 1.—News reached here of an unfortunate accident in Carlisle county, near Cunningham. Mrs. T. O. Mann, a popular woman of that community, was the victim.

Mrs. Mann loaded a 22-caliber flober rifle for the purpose of shooting crows. After loading the gun she placed it in the closet until an opportunity arrived to use it, but concluding that it was an unsafe place for it on account of the fact that the children might possibly get hold of it, she decided to move the gun from the closet and place it in the rack on the wall. Accordingly she went to the closet and picked up the gun, and as she did so it was discharged, the ball striking her in the howels and lodged against the hip bone.

Physicians were at once summoned and an operation was decided upon. A large portion of the peritoneum was removed and the wound was thoroughly dressed. The size of the ball was a 22 short, but the proximity to Mrs. Mann's body caused the force of it to plough its way almost entirely through the body.

Though suffering greatly she is thought to be getting along nicely and the attending physicians expressed the belief that she will recover.

Plenty of Trouble.

Caused by stagnation of the liver and bowels, to get rid of it and headache and biliousness, and the poison that brings jaundice, take Dr. King's New Life Pills. These reliable purifiers do the work without grinding or griplag. 25¢ at all druggists.

Try the Sun for Job Work.

Do You Open Your Mouth?

Like a young bird, andgulp down whatever food or medicine may be offered you? Do you want to know something of the composition and character of that which you take into your stomach whether as food or medicine?

Most intelligent and sensible people now-a-days insist on knowing what they employ whether as food or as medicine.

Dr. Pierce believes they have a perfect right to insist upon such knowledge. So he publishes a broadsheet and on each bottle, paper, what his medicines are made of and vehicles to conduct them. This he can well afford to do because the more ingredients of which his medicines are made are studied and understood the more with their superior nutritive virtues.

For the cure of woman's peculiar weaknesses, irregularities and derangements, giving rise to frequent headaches, backache, dragging-down pain or distress in lower abdominal or pelvic region, accompanied, oftentimes, with a debilitating, pelvic, catarrhal drain and kindred symptoms of weakness. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a most efficient remedy. It is equally effective in curing painful periods. In giving strength to the system of mothers and in curing the system of the mother for baby's coming, thus rendering childbirth safe and comparatively painless. The "Favorite Prescription" is a most potent, strengthening tonic to the general system and to the organs distinctly feminine. In particular it strengthens and invigorates nervous exhaustion, nervous prostration, neuralgia, hysteria, spasms, chorea or St. Vitus's dance, and other distressing nervous symptoms attendant upon functional and organic diseases of the distinctly female organs.

It is a great aid to all the several schools of practice, recommending each of the several ingredients of which "Favorite Prescription" is made for the cure of the diseases for which it is claimed to be a cure. You may read what they say for yourself by sending a postal card request for a free booklet to Dr. E. V. Pierce, Invalids' Hospital and Surgical Institute, Buffalo, N. Y., and it will come to you by return post.

PRETTIEST LAWN

PRIZES AWARDED BY WOMAN'S CLUB SATURDAY.

Mrs. J. C. Flournoy Received Capital Prize Offered by The Sun for Best Improved Lawn.

Mrs. J. C. Flournoy, Twenty-first and Jefferson streets, was awarded the capital prize of \$10 from The Sun, offered by the Woman's club for the best improved lawn, and W. P. Paxton received the \$10 offered by the News-Democrat for the prettiest unimproved lot in the district. Other prizes of \$5 each for the prettiest yards in the three subdivisions, the money being given by Mayor James P. Smith, Richard Rudy, president of the board of public works, and the city department of the Woman's club, went to George Goodman, Twenty-first and Jefferson streets; Mrs. Louis Riche, Seventh and Jefferson streets, and Mrs. R. G. Terrell, 516 Kentucky avenue. The judges were Mrs. George Langstaff, Mrs. J. C. Flournoy and Miss Hildre Nash. The two principal prizes were awarded by Miss Adine Morton, chairman of the civic department of the Woman's club,

IN METROPOLIS

Lionel Davis is home from a business trip to Dixon, Tenn.

Mrs. Mart Hawkins and daughter, Miss Essie, of Vicksburg, is visiting Mr. Dave Hawkins and family.

Mrs. Edna Palmer, of Grand Tower, Ill., is visiting her father, Mr. J. N. Kelly.

William Hackett and son, of Ripley, Tenn., are visiting Mr. George Young and family.

Toy Lassiter, of Paducah, visited his father Sunday.

Dr. A. Willis, of Missouri, is visiting his father, Dr. J. T. Willis.

Frank McGlasson is visiting his brother, Tip, at Pine Bluff, Ark.

Harry Burlison has sold his pool room on Third street to W. H. Ward and has located in DuQuoin, Ill.

Jack Riddle, of Paducah, is visiting home folks.

Charles Spencer, of Paducah, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Fox Davis.

James Lowe, of Paducah, is visiting friends here this week.

George Klag and wife have returned from a visit to their son, Archie, at Memphis.

H. Randolph and wife left Sunday for a four months' visit in Germany.

After the business session Thursday afternoon, the Automobile club will meet at the club building to take the visitors on a city and country run, winding up at the summer home of Mayor and Mrs. James P. Smith, "Hill-A-Wee," for a reception and tea.

Miss Pearl Derris has returned from Mississippi.

Mrs. Eliza English, of Paducah, is visiting her brother, Mr. Arthur Crider.

Mrs. Pearl Clark, of Paducah, is visiting Mrs. Etta Finley.

H. A. Evans is confined to his bed with illness.

Mrs. Kate Kluge is attending to business in DuQuoin this week.

Dr. George A. Stewart, of East St. Louis, attended the commencement exercises here, his daughters being among the graduates.

Anion Hildreth, who has been working at his trade at Caruthersville, Mo., is visiting his family.

Mrs. Cora Austin, of Chicago, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Murphy.

W. B. Ward is attending the hubbers' meeting and pleasure seeing in St. Louis this week.

Children are happy today as school closed Friday.

Mrs. Carrie Childs is the Metropolis candidate for the premium given away by The Sun. Encourage her by saving your coupons and helping her with your subscriptions.

A telegram received states that Curt Roby has at last reached his destination. Several days ago Curt Roby and June Cagle left for a land buying to Texas. When in about 200 miles from their destination about 3:30 o'clock in the morning Mr. Roby left the train to get a cup of coffee and that was the last heard of him until this telegram was received. Mr. Cagle stayed on the train and supposing Mr. Roby got lost got off at the next station to wait for the next train, but Mr. Roby was not on that train. Mr. Cagle then continued the journey and stayed there two or three days. Mr. Roby not coming on to the end of the trip, Mr. Cagle became uneasy. He boarded the train and went to where Mr. Roby was last seen but no one had seen him. Mr. Cagle came on home and reported Mr. Roby's disappearance. Mr. Roby's wife then set the wires to work with the above results.

Guy Halliday and wife spent a few days with Mr. Halliday's brother, Mr. Justice Halliday.

Mrs. Mary Humma, of Reading, Pa., is visiting her son, H. J. Humma.

"Dolan," said Mr. Rafferty, as he looked up at the city postoffice, "what does their letters 'MDCCCXCIV' mean?"

"They mean 'eighteen hundred and eighty-seven.'"

"Dolan," came the query after a thoughtful pause, "don't ye think they're overdoing this spelling?"

"Reform a bit?"—Washington Star.

One of the large electrical firms in Germany gives yearly from \$1 to \$7 to employees who have served for more than a year. The sum thus expended exceeds \$110,000 a year.

An honest doubt is always a door to some higher truth.

Are You Sick?

Much sickness is due to a weak nervous system. Yours may be. If it is, you cannot get well until you restore nerve strength. Your nervous system is nature's power house; the organs of your body get their power from it. If the power is not there, the action of the organs is weak, and disease (sickness) follows. Dr. Miles' Nervine cures the sick because it soothes the irritated and tired nerves and gives the system a chance to recuperate. Try it, and see if you do not quickly feel its beneficial effect.

"I was given up to die by a leading doctor. Got one of Dr. Miles' books and found that Dr. Miles' Nervine, in my case, cured me. I am better now than I have been for years, and do all my own work on the farm. That's what Dr. Miles' Nervine has done for me and I am glad to recommend it to others."

JOHN JAMES, Riverton, Neb.
Your druggist sells Dr. Miles' Nervine, and authorizes him to return to you of first bottle (only) if it fails to benefit you.

Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

TOBACCO NEWS

TEN THOUSAND HOGSHEDS SOLD.

Heavy buying by Regie contractors have run sales of the Planters' Protective Association to 9,142 hogsheds of tobacco of the crop of 1907 at the close of business on Saturday, May 11.

The demand for Regie types from now on is expected to be firm, and it is probable that prospects of a short crop in the dark tobacco district in 1908 will make the buyers eager to protect themselves for the future.

Figures compiled by the Tobacco Planter for its annual year book, which is now in press, indicate that last year's crop was even shorter than the estimates made during the early part of the year. With Weakley county, Tennessee, missing, the figures collected show that the crop of 1907 was less than 100,000,000 pounds, or not quite 65,000 hogsheds.

The normal crop of the district is 120,000,000 pounds and with Weakley county in, it is evident that the crop was nearly 25,000,000 pounds short of the average. Of this production the Planters' Protective association contractors about 30,000 hogsheds, but it is the opinion of well-informed tobacco men that these figures are greatly in excess of the real facts in the case. Controlling this proportion of the crop, however, and calculating that these independent sales actually reached 26,000 hogsheds, it is very plain that the association is absolutely in control of the tobacco market of the world as far as the dark tobacco is concerned.

The sales already made are about 15 per cent. of the crop, and the heavy buying is just beginning. With the low quality of tobacco grown last year the price of tobacco is now bringing in a good return to the farmer for what he has to offer. The situation at present shows conclusively what the farmers can do by sticking together. The prospects for a good crop this year are fairly bright. The weather has been so unusually severe that a great many farmers have been disengaged, because they have been unable to get their crop in the field, but tobacco growers who take a fair view of conditions are of the opinion that the crop will show up about as well as the average. Generally at this time of the year there always are enough prophecies of a bad tobacco year to discourage anybody who might take them all up seriously. If the crop is not a good one this year the fact that the plants are becoming too large in the beds will probably have more to do with the results than any other one thing.

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The total number of hogsheds graded to date is 38,100, or over half of that controlled by the association. At the present rate the board of governors will finish up in a short time. Prizing is almost at the wind up, and in many places prizers have finished their work for the season. It is probable that 90 per cent. of the 1907 crop is now in hogsheds.

Since the association official report by Mr. John D. Sealed the buyings has been heavy, and the sales of this week will easily run the total over 10,000 hogsheds. Heavy sales were made in Paducah the first of the week, a total of 300 hogsheds being sold. Most of this was for E. J. O'Brien & Company, although a number of Paducah buyers took a portion of that sold.

James N. Banks, writing in the Henderson Gleaner, says: "Those of the manufacturers who have bought tobacco of this association to date should be, and doubtless are, by this time persuaded there is no disposition on the part of Kentucky farmers, where they have the opportunity of power, to practice extortion. Kentucky farmers are co-operating to the end that they may realize remunerative prices for tobacco, not extortionate prices."—Tobacco Planter.

Clarksville Market.

Clarksville, Tenn., June 1.—Our receipts in the open market last week were 227 hogsheds; sales 230 hogsheds; market firm and unchanged on all grades.

Receipts of loose tobacco were very light. The weather continues hot and showery, forcing growth. The larger portion of the tobacco crop is now in the field, and the stand is generally good. Farmers need a spell of dry weather to finish breaking up their land and get in the remainder of the corn crop, the planting of which has been delayed by the frequent rains. May having been nearly as rainy as April. Farmers are working hard to catch up, and wheat harvest will soon add to their labors.

The Planters' association sold here this week 522 hogsheds, and the salesmen are well satisfied with the price obtained. It is a pity that we haven't more to sell, as the prices are so good. All of the foreign demands keep steadily in the market, the European stocks being very small.

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Low lug \$ 7.00 to \$ 7.50
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Good lugs 9.25 to 10.00
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Pine leaf 16.00 to 18.00
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DEMOCRATS TALK; SUBJECT HARMONY

Hon. Chas. K. Wheeler and Hal Corbett Speakers.

Ollie James Will Not Be Temporary Chairman and State is About Made Up.

STANLEY MAY SOUND KEYNOTE

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NOBODY SPARED.

Kidney Troubles Attack Paducah Men and Women, Old and Young.

Kidneyills seize young and old. Come quickly with little warning. Children suffer in their early years;—Can't control the kidney secretions. Girls are languid, nervous, suffer pain. Women worry, can't do daily work. Men have lame and aching backs. The cure for man, woman or child. Is to cure the cause—the kidney. Doan's Kidney Pills cure sick kidneys—

Cure all forms of kidney suffering. John Stanley, farmer, living six miles south of Paducah, Ky., says:

"My boy, aged 12 years, was a sufferer from weak kidneys for a number of years. He did not have any control over the kidney secretions and this caused us much annoyance, especially at night. He complained of his back pain him and last summer his general health became rundown. We had a doctor from Louisville treat him but one week he

would be better and the next worse. I had often read of Doan's Kidney Pills, so decided to give them a trial, and procured a supply at DuBois, Son & Co.'s drug store. The boy took them as directed and at the end of the first week he could control the secretions and the annoyance at night which had caused me so much work.

Before union can become legally established the action of the south Kentucky association will have to be ratified by the central and eastern branch. As the terms of the joining of forces have all been agreed to already, no trouble or delay is anticipated in a speedy concurrence when a joint

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4.....4126	20.....4088
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9.....4105	24.....4085
10.....4221	25.....4081
11.....4223	27.....4057
12.....4078	28.....4034
13.....4087	29.....4031
14.....4094	30.....4097
15,412	
106,616	
Average for April, 1908.....4102	
Average for April, 1907.....3971	
Increase.....131	

Personally appeared before me this May 2, 1908, R. D. MacMillen, business manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of April 1908, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

My commission expires January 10, 1912.

PETER PURYEAR,
Notary Public.

Daily Thought.
"To save time is to save everything else; for all things are contained in time."

CONGRESS.
Congress has adjourned. It failed to do everything President Roosevelt advised. Anti-administration papers made fun of every message he sent and abused his policies to their hearts' content. They are now engaged in abusing congress because it didn't do everything he asked. Neither the president, who was abused for offering the advice, nor congressmen who are abused for not following the advice, probably will feel the least concern over the attitude of their common critics.

When did a congress ever submit to the absolute dictation of an executive? Where lies the American, who would have congress without deliberation obey the arbitrary behest of the president?

In considering the work of this congress in connection with the recommendations of the president, we must remember the work was done by one party on the eve of a presidential election, and that the policies of the administration, recommended to congress, were advanced and unusual, and the congressmen have not had opportunity to secure a popular vote of sanction or repudiation of the recommendations.

Almost the entire period since the Civil war has been devoted to the aggrandizement of industrial America. The whole machinery of government has been given over to promoting transportation facilities, developing new territories and building up the commerce and industries of the country. A new era is dawning. In our devotion to the encouragement of private enterprise, we have been blinded to a growing tendency to monopolization and restraint of trade, to national extravagance and waste, and we are awakening to the necessity for conserving our resources for a later day. Reforms once started have involved every public question, and Roosevelt is the personification of the spirit of the era. One cannot expect congress, nor the whole people to follow the spirit with the speed of the president, whose position gives him a view beyond that of the average man, while congress must needs travel with an ear to the ground.

Considering all that, let us see what congress has done:

In the way of reform—prohibited race track gambling in the District of Columbia; restricted child labor in the District of Columbia; passed an employers' liability law.

To improve our foreign trade, increase our prestige abroad and better our knowledge of international conditions—reclassified the consular service, putting fit men in the offices.

In the way of defense—increased the pay of soldiers and made the service more attractive; reformed the militia; provided for the defense of Hawaiian and Philippine ports; provided for the construction of two large battleships a year.

In the way of foreign relations—ratified arbitration treaties with all foreign nations; appropriated \$1,500,000 for an exhibit at the Japanese exposition; permitted free oper-

ation of foreign vessels in Philippines trade.

Internal affairs—passed an emergency currency measure; and appointed a commission to consider better laws on the subject; authorized a tariff commission to revise the tariff schedules; provided for a commission of waterways commission; appropriated money for an Appalachian forest reserve; established a range for American Buffalo.

There was much of importance that congress did not do; but with the election of a man whose relations to the present administration insure his pursuance of its policies, an endorsement of the administration will be registered by the people, and we may anticipate more drastic reform measures at the next session.

The next congress will have plenty to do; but the fact that tariff revision is one of the important features of the legislative program, and that the Republican party is standing pat on the principles of protection, while the Democrats take little pains to sugar coat the doctrine of free trade, this may well be accepted as an issue in the coming presidential campaign: Shall the tariff be revised with the view to protecting American workmen from competition with the pauper labor of Europe, or shall the tariff wall be broken down and our markets flooded with the cheap products from across the Atlantic?

SLIGHTLY HUMOROUS.

What He Wanted to Say.
"Hello!"
"Hello!"
"Hello, confound you! What do you want?"
"Is this 6145?"
"Of course! Why don't you go ahead and talk?"
"Oh, you needn't get mad about nothing."

"Well, my time's worth money; I can't stand here all day jabbering 'hello' to somebody!"

"This is about the first time I ever used a telephone and—"

"Did you call me up for practice?"
"No, of course not."

"Did you call me up to tell me a funny story?"
"No—"

"Well, why don't you go ahead then with your business?"
"You didn't give me chance, I was saying—"

"There you go again! Say, how long are you going to keep me standing here?"

"You can sit down if you want to!"

"I'll sit down on you if this is supposed to be a joke! Who are you, sir?"

"My name is Brown. I moved indirectly opposite you a few weeks ago."

"Well, Brown, I'm sorry to have spoken so harshly to you, but I'm not feeling just up to the mark today. Hope you will pardon me."

"Oh, certainly."

"What is it you wished to say to me?"

"Why, I wanted to tell you that your house is on fire."—Success Magazine.

WORRY WAS UNNECESSARY.

Wife of His Bosom—James, I hear burglars at your chest box.

James—All rite, m'dear, nothing there. Told your dressmaker's bill yesterday.

Mrs. Wilson's Funeral.

The funeral of Mrs. Ida Wilson was held this afternoon at the German Lutheran church. The burial followed at Oak Grove cemetery. Mr. John Rupertus, a brother of Mrs. Wilson, arrived from Denver, Col. The pall-bearers were Messrs. Jesse Gilbert, Thomas Goodman, James Lally, William Morgan, Henry Smith and Henry Kobl.

Lowe Case Continued.

The Case against Charles Lowe, colored, charged with robbing the Rev. J. W. Cook, colored, of Memphis, was continued in police court this morning. The conductor, flagman and porter of the train were present, but Cook failed to appear and the case went over until Friday.

Body Fractured Arm.

Lawson, the 22-months-old son of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Delvin, 888 South Fourth street, fell from the platform of the railroad station in Maxon Mills yesterday afternoon and fractured his right arm in two places. The fracture was reduced by Dr. Rivers and the little fellow is resting easy today.

First June License.

The first marriage license for the month of June was issued this morning by the county clerk to Jack Littleton and Mary Tucker.

Mr. Leslie Puryear returned home Saturday night from McKenzie, Tenn., where he was graduated last week from McTyele school.

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THE VANISHING FLEETS

By ROY NORTON

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(Continued from last Issue.)

and never at any time had there been any other intention than of replenishing at Hawaii. It seemed impossible that a civilized nation should have chosen deliberately to exterminate its enemies by wholesale; and yet there was no other conclusion tenable.

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Japan was left a helpless little island in the sea, without ships to assail an enemy or to defend herself. Shorn of power and pride, she was plunged as deeply in mourning as only a few weeks before she had been exalted in glory. She plaintively bewailed the barbarities of her enemy, and proudly pointed to her own high state of civilization, which made such warfare impossible. She asserted that had she possessed such monsters of destruction as were evidently owned by the United States, she would have scorned to use them without notifying the whole world of her power. It was a country of desolation.

There was hardly a prominent home in Japan which had not contributed some member of its family to that splendid navy which had sailed so proudly away when early June was spreading its flowers over the empire; now there were sobs of bereavement and woe.

Across the ancient lands of the Pharaohs and up through the provinces of kings there swept a unanimous desire for an explanation. It could come from only one source—this land of mystery which had cut itself off from all the world and stood silent, guarding its secret, and suddenly grown ominous in its possibilities and potentialities.

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SEVENTEEN YEARS

(Continued from First Page.)

which has been overhauled and is in evidence today at the No. 4 fire station. Another two-wheel reel was used for emergency, and the old reel is stored at the No. 2 fire station. The Central station is the second one that apparently the troops knew no more of the reason for their being stationed there than did the world at large.

In the meantime there gathered into the sounds, bays and harbors of foreign ports American vessels of war, which came to anchor and remained.

On board these ships were the most disconsolate body of officers and men that were ever collected in hulls. The last orders any of them had received had been made so positive, so plain and unequivocal, that they had no choice other than to obey. They had been commanded to gain these neutral berths and under no circumstances to leave them. They were not even permitted to assume the slate color which betokens war on the waters, and therefore retained their dress of immaculate white. They, too, seemed under the ban, and, like war dogs in leash, strained impotently for action. Nor was there an officer in all these idle and scattered ships who did not wish himself on the waves of the Pacific, across which the enemy's fleet was now forging.

The time advanced until the Japanese warships were due to arrive at Honolulu, where they were to report, and prepare for the final struggle. The cable between Hawaii and Japan, now in possession of the unkind's operators, continued its daily reports of most favorable weather; but still no squadron hove in sight.

One day, two days, and three, passed before Japan felt anxiety, or the world began its discussion as to the cause of the long delay. Then, when the fleet was more than a week overdue, it became almost a certainty that some disaster had overtaken it, although from no section of the sea had there been a typhoon reported or anything but excellent barometric conditions.

Ten days passed in this same way, and on the last the report from Honolulu was identical with that which had been made on all those previous: "Nothing in sight, and nothing arrived."

Once more the world stood in expectancy, and vainly sought the solution for the latest enigma. Storms were eliminated; for no tempest could have wiped out such a magnificent body of ships so effectively as to leave none to hear the sad tidings to the nearest part. And then, as a full realization of what must have happened dawned upon the watching powers, a shudder of dread passed through them all. It was plain that America had some new and terrible naval strength, some unheard of monster of the deep, that gave it the mastery of the seas. The evolution of submarine had been rapid; but no one had knowledge of a craft that could steam such a distance as would have been necessary to intercept the Japanese before they reached Honolulu, engage them and either destroy them completely or capture and convey them to an American port.

It must have been total destruction, the world argued, because in case of capture great battle ships themselves would scarcely have been able to make the complete trip to a Pacific coast on the supply of coal they carried in their bunkers. Forced drafts required great expenditure of fuel,

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WHERE COLD CAME FROM

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Mrs. Thomas P. Coburn went to Meppelton today to visit the guest of Mr. Arthur J. Moreland.

Mrs. Charles W. Fisher and son, Harry Kremer, went to Louisville today to visit Mrs. Fisher's mother, Mrs. Kremer.

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THE LOCAL NEWS

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—We can give you the finest enlargements in the city for wedding, ball and theater calls. Our prices are lower than those charged for like service in any city in America. Our service is second to none, and the best in this city. Palmer Trimmer Company.

—The foundation for the waiting room at Oak Grove cemetery has been completed and the work of laying the concrete wall will begin this week. Modern conveniences will be provided in the room.

—Mr. H. C. Hollins has left the city for a few months, and I have acquired an interest in his business and shall look after it for him. Any information with reference to any branch of it will receive prompt attention if you will call up the Sun office. Both phones 358. E. J. Paxton.

—City subscribers to The Daily Sun who wish the delivery of their papers stopped must notify our collectors or make the requests direct to The Sun office. No attention will be paid to such orders when given to carriers. Sun Publishing Co.

Ladies' and gentlemen's straw and Panama hats cleaned, work guaranteed. New York Shine Parlor, 40½ Broadway.

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Eight Bishops Consecrated.

Hartford, June 1.—Perhaps the most impressive moment of the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church was when eight bishops were consecrated bishops.

It was led by the bishop-elect, each accompanied by his two presenters.

JOHN MITCHELL, MAY RUN FOR GOVERNOR OF ILLINOIS.

Chicago, June 1.—John Mitchell, former president of the United Mine Workers, wants to run for governor of Illinois on the Democratic ticket. He will decide whether to make the race on June 15, when the Illinois Federation of Labor meets. It is expected that a home for Mitchell will be started at that meeting. Roger C. Sullivan, Democratic national committeeman, thinks Mitchell or Samuel Altschuler would make the strongest candidate the Democratic party has had in years.

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ONLY UNION MEN

May Hold Position of Inspector of Safety Appliances.

Chicago, June 1.—A Washington special to the Record-Herald says:

"Acting presumably upon the advice of Secretary Edward A. Mosley, the Interstate commerce commission has issued a rule to the effect that none but union men shall receive appointments as inspectors under the safety appliances act. This action has aroused the greatest indignation among railway managers, who insist that it is another attempt on the part of the commission to curry favor with the labor organizations."

This approximately \$100,000 annual patronage not only places entirely within the hands of the unions the execution of the safety appliance law, but it also places a powerful whip in their hands with which to force the railroads into doing things that may be desired by the unions. Not so long ago a certain railroad threatened to reduce wages. Soon afterward a force of inspectors was at work upon that road, with the result that there was a crop of fines that aggregated a considerable sum.

Sign of the Zodiac for June—the Crab.

Says Mr. Dooley: "In me heart, I like it if people marry. It ought to be for life. Th' laws ar'e alittle too lenient with them."

June is the wedding month according to statistics.

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Miss Anna Larkin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Larkin, of Paris, Tenn., and Mr. Albert H. Bowland, a popular young railroad man of the city, were married yesterday morning at 10 o'clock at the home of Miss Canada's sister, Mrs. E. C. Givens, 615 North Seventh street. The bridal couple left on the 11:20 train for Louisville. After June 8 Mr. and Mrs. Bowland will be at home at 615 North Seventh street. The marriage ceremonies were performed by the Rev. A. N. Scott.

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Mr. Clyde Bell went yesterday to Moline, Ill., where he has accepted a position with a large wheel manufacturing company.

Mr. John Simott and Miss Eliza both Simott returned yesterday from a visit to French Lick Springs, Ind.

Mr. Leslie Puryear returned yesterday evening from McKenzie, Tenn., where he has been attending school. Mr. Puryear is home for the summer vacation.

Miss Lona Keys and daughter have returned to Murray after visiting Mrs. Kittle Willis, on North Sixth street.

Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Jones, of Graves county, are visiting in the city.

Senator Com. Lunn, of Murray, is in the city.

Mr. T. M. Baughan, master car builder at the Illinois Central shops, has returned from Hot Springs, where he went for his health. He was greatly benighted by the trip.

Mr. Arthur J. Moreland, of Metropolis, was a visitor in the city yesterday and this morning.

Miss Alice Grimes has gone to Granville on a visit to Miss Annie Graham.

Miss Edna Knowles, 905 Broadway, returned home from Cairo last night after a visit to Miss Neil Knight.

Miss Gertrude Smith, 2012 Jefferson street, has returned from Grahamville, after a visit to Miss Hazel Holland. Miss Holland accompanied her home, and will be her guest for several days.

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Alaska Coal Deposits.

Washington, June 1.—An important bill which permits practically for the first time the development of the immense coal deposits in Alaska has been reported favorably from the senate committee on public lands. It authorizes persons who have heretofore made location or purchased under this act are held in coal lands in Alaska, in good faith, any manner, directly or indirectly, so that they form part of a combination in the form of an unlawful trust, or form the subject of any contract in restraint of trade, the title is to be forfeited to the United States.

It is provided that no corporation shall be permitted to consolidate its claims unless seventy-five per cent of its stock shall be held by persons qualified to enter coal fields in Alaska.

The United States is to have the preference right to purchase as much of the products of the mines as may be necessary for the use of the army and navy and at such reasonable and remunerative prices as may be fixed by the president.

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MIDGET MOTHER

AND BABE ARE ALIVE AT RIVER SIDE HOSPITAL.

Caesarian Operation Performed by Dr. Frank Boyd, Assisted by Drs. Bradley, Reddick and Hearn.

A bright little baby, one week old, at the Riverside hospital owes its existence to the skill of surgery and in the delicate operation which brought the little one into the world, the life of the mother was also saved.

The mother is a midget, just 39 inches high, and the operation was the rare and difficult one known technically as the Caesarian operation. It is the only case of the kind on record in western Kentucky. It was performed one week ago by Dr. Frank Boyd, assisted by Dr. B. L. Bradley, Dr. T. J. Reddick and Dr. R. E. Hearn. The mother will recover and the baby is strong and well. It weighed seven and one-half pounds.

The mother is Mrs. Ada Grinnell, wife of Pearl Grinnell a physician, and has made her home in Paducah for the past year. She is a sister-in-law of Harry Lloyd. Her father is George B. McClelland and her brother is William McClelland, employee of the marine ways.

Mrs. Grinnell was born in Cincinnati. She is about 30 years of age and has been married seven years. She has one other child, a little girl of three years, who was brought into the world in the same way as her week old baby. Mrs. Grinnell lives at 729 South Third street.

"The baby's name is Frank Bradley Grinnell, for Dr. Boyd and Dr. Bradley."

There Are Few people who know how to take care of themselves—the majority do not. The liver is a most important organ in the body. Herbs will keep it in condition. V. C. Simpkins, Alba, Texas, writes: "I have used Herbs for Chills and Fever and find it the best medicine I ever used. I would not be without it. It is as good for children as it is for grown-up people, and I recommend it. It is fine for La Grippe." Sold by J. H. Oehlschager, Lang Bros., C. O. Ripley.

The Exercise Cure. The brilliant Chinese Ambassador, Wu Ting Fang, was recommending to a group of correspondents—but not for publication—his view of a certain selfish politician.

"In short," said Mr. Wu, "the man reminds me of a doctor of Shanghai."

"A mandarin came to this doctor for advice. He could not sleep, had no appetite, suffered a good deal from depression, and nevertheless was taking on fat at an alarming rate."

"We'll soon put you in condition again," said the physician. "What you need is exercise—good, hard exercise. Four times a week you can come home and put in the morning polishing my floors."

"But why not my own doors?" the Mandarin inquired.

"Mike," said the physician, "are larger." —Washington Star.

Baseball Players and Foot Racers!

Louis J. Kruger, ex-champion

long distance foot racer of Germany

and Holland, writes, Oct. 27, 1901:

"During my training of eight weeks' foot races at Salt Lake City, April last, I used Ballard's Snow Liniment to my greatest satisfaction.

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the past two years. We

operate in 18 states and

have been the means of

many a poor man getting

a home and a start on the

road to independence.

In a desperate fight between a

posse and a negro at Mobile, one offi-

cer was mortally wounded and the ne-

gro was killed.

The Countess Gizek, formerly

Miss Patterson, of Chicago, is prepa-

ring to sue for divorce from her Rus-

sian husband.

The senate passed what is known

as the omnibus territorial bill. The

measure was called up by Mr. Bever-

idge.

Three tobacco beds were destroyed

by night riders on the farm of Judge

B. F. Stoach, in Mercer county.

The pulp mill of the Wolf River

Pulp and Paper company burned at

Shawnee, Wis. Loss \$75,000.

Minister Squiers has been summoned

to Washington for a discussion of the

political situation in Panama.

DeLaGrange, the aeronaut, beat the

world's aeroplane record at Rome,

flying 12,750 meters.

Minister Knox delivered the memori-

al day address at Gettysburg, Pa.

Ryan.

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THE PADUCAH EVENING SUN.

At the Churches Yesterday.

"Keep Thy Heart With All Diligence, for Out of It Are the Issues of Life." These words of admonition given by King Solomon to his son, formed the text of Dr. W. E. Cave's sermon at the First Presbyterian church yesterday morning. By illustrations well chosen and aptly interpreted, Dr. Cave showed how the spiritual heart of man is the seat of spiritual life, even as the material heart is the vital organ of the body. He compared it to a fortified place, which can not be overcome by storm, but must voluntarily surrender, either to good or to evil.

Twenty-five Baptized.

Twenty-five persons were baptized Sunday evening at the German Evangelical church by the pastor, the Rev. William Bourquin. The class has been growing for some time and yesterday all were baptized at the same time. English sermons were preached morning and evening by the pastor to appreciative audiences.

One Baptized.

The Rev. M. E. Dodd preached in the evening at the First Baptist church and one person was baptized. Dr. Dodd left early this morning to preach a funeral at Fulton.

No Services.

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Manage to Defeat Crack Princeton Team Sunday.

Sixth Inning With Two Bagger Tells Story of Game—Close Up Till Then.

PITCHING OF RUNYAN GREAT.

Through good pitching and steady team work Paducah won from the crack Princeton team by a score of 3 to 1 yesterday afternoon in a battle royal at League park. Runyan twirled for Paducah, and the story of his work is best told by the fact that he allowed 3 hits, fanned 15 batters, and only gave one base on balls. Stevens, a former puzzle to Paducah batters, allowed four hits, fanned four and hit two men. The game was interesting from the start, and the large crowd cheered until hours.

Princeton started off like a winner. A man was on base, when Moore had a foul tip that got away from Hays. The umpire did not see the foul and called it a strike, and on the play a Princeton had raced home. Thus with the score in Princeton's favor the Indians plodded on until the sixth inning. In this inning Hays and Robinson were first up, but were easy out. Goodman followed, and Stevens hit him. Runyan followed with a single advanced Goodman to second and took first base himself. Cooper was next up, and he managed to let a ball graze him, and he got a pass to first, filling the bases. Newman came to bat and smashed out a two bunter and three Indians came over the plate.

At no time did the Indians have difficulty in hitting Stevens, but every time the ball would go where a player was standing. Stevens still has good curves, and his quick breaks were too much for Princeton. Cooper got a long drive to left field and Caslin muffed it, but Cooper was able to take only one base. Newman was the star with the ash as he smashed out two hits, and his double bagger was timely.

The game was played in an hour and 45 minutes, and the fans smiled all the time. Next Sunday Hollan's Indians will journey to Princeton and play a return game with the lads. The record this season has been seven games and not one lost, while three have been shutouts. Gus Brable numbered yesterday.

The teams' lineup: Paducah—Hays, p.; Runyan, p.; Goodman, 1b; Brable, 2b; Cooper, 3b; Robinson, ss; Newman, lf; Williams, cf; Hart, rt.

Princeton—Doyle, c; Stevens, p.; McCabe, 1b; Seymour, 2b; Greer, 3b; Potts, ss; Caslin, lf; Moore, cf; and R. Moore, rt.

No Game at Metropolis.

No game was played at Metropolis yesterday owing to the failure of the Goleonda baseball team to show up. A game was scheduled, but bad connection was made, and the ball tossers could not arrive in time for the game,

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Standing. W. L. Pet.

Chicago 23 13 .639

Philadelphia 17 14 .548

New York 19 16 .542

Cincinnati 19 16 .543

Pittsburgh 18 16 .529

Boston 17 19 .472

St. Louis 15 25 .375

Brooklyn 13 22 .371

At Chicago.

Chicago, June 1.—Chicago won the first game by bunching hits. In the second Frazer was relieved after the fourth inning.

Score. R. H. E.

Chicago 6 9 2

Pittsburgh 3 6 2

Batteries — Pflester, Morgan and Kling; Willis, Young and Phelps.

Second Game.

Score. R. H. E.

Chicago 3 5 2

Pittsburgh 12 16 0

Batteries — Frazer, Ruebach and Kling; McCarthy, Caminitz and Gibson.

At Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, June 1.—Lobert's single in the twelfth won for the locals.

Score. R. H. E.

Cincinnati 5 9 4

St. Louis 4 8 7

Batteries — Ewing, Campbell and Schleif; Raymond and Ludwig.

Saturday Afternoon.

St. Louis, 2; Chicago, 11; Brooklyn-New York, rain; Pittsburgh, 4; Cincinnati, 1; Philadelphia-Houston, rain.

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New York 19 15 .559

Detroit 20 16 .556

St. Louis 21 18 .538

Philadelphia 20 18 .526

Cleveland 19 18 .514

Chicago 17 19 .472

Washington 17 20 .459

Boston 15 24 .385

At Chicago.

Score. R. H. E.

Chicago 1 6 1

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Detroit 9 4 2
Batteries — Walsh and Sullivan; Dillies and Schmidt.

Second Game.

Score. R. H. E.

Chicago 1 1 1

Detroit 2 11 4

Batteries — White and Sullivan; Suggs and Payne.

At St. Louis.

St. Louis 3 6 2

Cleveland 2 9 3

Batteries — Waddell, Dineen and Spencer; Berger and Hemis.

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Houston, 4; Washington, 7.

He Got What He Needed.

"Nine years ago it looked as if my time had come," says Mr. C. Parthing, of Mill Creek, Ind. Ter.

It was so run down that life hung on a very slender thread. It was then my druggist recommended Ele-

ctro Hitters. I bought a bottle and

I got what I needed—strength. I

had one foot in the grave, but Elec-

tro Hitters put it back on the turf

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ists. 50¢.

CONTEST 229 SEATS

REPUBLICAN CONVENTION HAS DELICATE TASK.

National Committee Will Meet At Chicago on June 4 to Begin Hearings.

Chicago, June 1.—Two hundred and twenty-nine seats in the Republican national convention will be made the subjects of contests before the national committee of the party, according to an announcement made by Elmer Dover, secretary of the committee. Mr. Dover gave out a list of the contestants filed to date, showing that four-delegates-at-large from each of eleven states, two territorial delegates each from Alaska and Arizona and 181 state delegates from fifteen states will be involved. The hearings are to begin before the committee on June 4.

Secretary Dover's list, which is headed "unofficial," shows that the contestants over delegates-at-large will involve the representatives of the following states:

Alabama—First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth and Eleventh.

Arkansas—Fifth.

Florida—Second and Third.

Georgia—First, Second, Third, Fifth, Sixth, Eighth and Eleventh.

Kentucky—First, Fifth, Sixth and Eleventh.

Louisiana—First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth and Seventh.

Mississippi—Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh and Eighth.

Missouri—Tenth, Eleventh and Twelfth.

North Carolina—First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth and Tenth.

Texas—First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth and Tenth.

In addition one delegate from the Twenty-first district of Pennsylvania is a subject of dispute.

A man never realizes how little he knows until he stacks up against a young fellow who has just finished freshman year at college.

Many a man wakes up with a headache the next morning after his wife goes away on a visit.

Some people only believe half of what they hear, and then invariably select the wrong half.

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Most men of few words are married.

CHILDREN'S DAY

EXERCISES AT GUTHRIE AVENUE SUNDAY AFTERNOON.

Beautiful Program of Songs, Recitations and Responsive Readings Carried Out.

Children's day at Guthrie Avenue Methodist church Sunday afternoon was observed before an audience that overflowed the building. The children were well drilled and gave a program of 45 minutes' duration, as follows:

Opening song, "Going Forward"—School.

Prayer.

Responsive reading.

Recitation, "The Sunday School."

Greeting—Moody Abernathy.

Song, "Little Ones Like Me."

Recitation, "Faith"—Five little girls.

Song, "My Shepherd's Care."

Recitation, "What Have We Done Today?"—Moody Abernathy.

Recitation, "Nobody's Darling"—Maggie Totty.

Recitation, "Hope."

Song, "Joybell."

Recitation, "All Aboard for Laughter Land!"—Ethel Phelps.

Recitation, "Children's Offering"

Bernard Woodbridge.

**YES IT PAYS TO WORK SIX DAYS
FOR A SEVERAL THOUSAND RAISE
AND A WATCH TO HIM WHO STAYS**

**Offer of Bonus Votes and Spec-
ial Prize Announced Today
to Candidates in the Sun's
Contest Guaranteed Larger
Than Any to Follow in Suc-
ceeding Weeks.**

FORTY DOLLAR WATCH IN IT

**For the Candidate Who Makes the
Best Use of the Next Six Days—
Read Conditions of the Big Special
Offer Below, Then Get Out and
Take Advantage of It.**

SPECIAL OFFER THIS WEEK

**For subscriptions turned in be-
tween Monday morning, June 1,
and 10 p. m., Saturday, June 6.**

**Forty-two dollar Howard 17
jewel watch to candidate turn-
ing in largest amount of cash on
subscriptions.**

**10,000 bonus votes to candi-
date turning in largest amount on
new subscriptions.**

**5,000 bonus votes in each dis-
trict for candidate turning in
largest amount of cash.**

**2,000 bonus votes for every
\$25 any candidate turns in.**

**Standing at the Close of Balloting
Saturday at 6:30 p. m.**

DISTRICT 1.

Miss Elsie Hodge.....	7,025
Miss Ella Hill.....	7,115
Myrt Ratcliffe.....	3,000
Joe D'Esperer.....	5,180
Mrs. Scott Ferguson.....	5,375
J. L. Dunn.....	5,340
Miss Nellie Schuh.....	3,305
Miss Ida Ashby.....	3,780
James Wood.....	3,780
Miss Muriel Noble.....	2,830
Miss Thelma Ryburn.....	2,800
Jas Hollie.....	2,750
Miss Gannette Buckner.....	2,405
Mrs. Harry Garrett.....	2,145
Miss Blanche Anderson.....	2,165
Miss Pearl Griffin.....	2,010
Miss Adile Byrd.....	1,850
Fred McCrae.....	1,815
Maurice McIntyre.....	1,815
Miss Minnie Thixton.....	1,800
L. P. Kone.....	1,775
Aber Roberts.....	1,385
P. B. Fowler.....	1,245
Miss Mary Harry.....	1,540
Miss Catharine Thomas.....	1,120
Miss H. Rose.....	1,055
Gro. C. Bauer.....	860
Mrs. T. L. Hoeder.....	712
J. T. Ross.....	670
Miss Marie Wilcox.....	600
Miss Geraldine Gibson.....	635
Miss Jennie Caesar.....	625
Miss Ruby Daniels.....	505
Mrs. Mary Boudreau.....	505
Frank Moore.....	500
Hibert Wright.....	570
Harry Collins.....	565
Miss Ernestine Alms.....	505
Miss Mamie Bayham.....	500
Leon R. Gleyves.....	500
A. A. Buds.....	550
Harry Lankens.....	550
Floyd Swift.....	500
Geo. Watts.....	500
Miss May Milburn.....	500
Chas. Horton.....	500

dates have their faces turned toward the finish with the idea of making the most of the remaining five weeks. There will be something doing all the time and it will be well for everyone connected with the contest to watch this column every day for announcements of great importance.

One hundred dollars in special prizes will be given to busy candidates during the next four weeks of the contest. This week's prize is of a value of \$42. Next week's will be worth \$30, the next \$20 and the last \$10, leaving the last week of the contest with no special at all, nothing but the regular eleven prizes to think about.

Don't hold back your business till later with the expectation that a bigger announcement will be made as the contest progresses—the biggest special prize is the one to be awarded Saturday night. After that the value of the special will be scaled down at the rate of \$10 per week. The earlier you get busy the better you will be repaid for your effort.

There's something besides the special prizes to raise excitement this week.

The bonus vote proposition is more attractive to candidates than any special prize could be, for the bonus votes assist in the winning of the big prizes at the finish.

Here is a complete explanation of the special offers for this week.

A \$42 lady's or gentleman's watch will be given to the candidate, irrespective of district, who turns in the largest amount of cash between this morning and 9:00 p. m., Saturday, June 6.

In the complete stock of Warren &

Ten thousand bonus votes will be given to the candidate, irrespective of district, who turns in the largest amount of cash on new subscriptions between this morning and 9:00 p. m., Saturday, June 6.

Five thousand bonus votes will be given in each district to the candidate who turns in the greatest amount of cash on subscriptions, whether old or new, between this morning and 9:00 p. m., Saturday, June 6.

Two thousand bonus votes will be given for every \$25 any candidate turns in.

Candidates were given to understand that their effort for Saturday would count them more than the effort of any other one day during the contest. The announcement of the special offers for this week in no way conflicts with the representations made to candidates last Friday regarding the results of Saturday's work. The bonus for this whole week is not so large as was the bonus for last Saturday, alone. Of course there is the special prizes, but it is for six days' work instead of one. A proportionate prize for one day's work would not be large enough to excite interest.

After this week the size of the special prize will steadily decline to the end of the contest, so that during the last week there will be neither bonus nor special prize to distract the attention of the candidates from the real issue of the campaign, the splendid list of regular prizes.

Remember that this is a very short game and that if you are to be a winner you have to make your effort come from the first. You cannot hope to lie back for a week and then catch up with someone who has been wisely using all his spare time to the best advantage.

Remember that there are 92 "live" candidates in the field and that any one of them is a worthy opponent. Of course lots of them will drop out every day now when they see that there are other folks who really mean exchequer Saturday night, but that there are other folks who really mean a thing of the past and the candle-business. The percentage of quitters

will be so large that those who stay to the finish are bound to be handsomely repaid for their effort and time.

It will certainly be an honor to win over the field of racers that have finished the first of the six laps of The Sun's \$2,000 trial of speed and endurance.

The Sun Contest is absolutely open. No ring, clique, organization, denomination, order, or business has any preference with the management of The Sun or the management of the contest. Any statement contradicting this fact is a ridiculous assumption of untruths.

Reports have come to this office to the effect that several over-enthusiastic persons have been observed following the boys who deliver The Sun, picking up the papers as they were thrown in the yards or on porches, and clipping therefrom the precious little coupons. The management of this paper will consider it a great favor if subscribers will report the names of those who perpetrate those amusing little outrages, to the end that they may be prevented from doing so in the future.

The right is reserved to alter these rules should necessity demand.

Districts.

The territory covered by The Sun

has been divided for the purposes of this contest into three districts, as follows:

District 1 comprises all of the city of Paducah north of Broadway, including the north side of Broadway.

District 2 comprises all of the city of Paducah south of Broadway, including the south side of Broadway.

District 3 comprises all of the territory served by The Sun outside the city of Paducah.

The three persons receiving the third highest number of votes in their respective districts will be awarded the following prizes, a \$37.50 refrigerator, displayed at

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order of rank—a \$65 watch on display at Pollock's, 323 Broadway, a \$50 lady's or man's watch at Nagel and Meyer's, corner Third and Broadway, a \$50 Miller range, displayed at Hank Bros., 212 Broadway.

For Payment by Old Subscribers.

Time	By Carrier	By Mail	Votes
1 year	\$1.50	\$3.00	2,250
8 months	3.00	2.00	1,200
4 months	1.50	1.00	1,000
2 years	9.00	6.00	6,000

For Advance Payment by New Subscribers.

Time	By Carrier	By Mail	Votes
1 year	\$1.50	\$3.00	4,500
8 months	3.00	2.00	2,400
4 months	1.50	1.00	1,000
2 years	9.00	6.00	12,000

Subscription payments of less than \$1.00 by mail and \$1.50 by carrier, will not be accepted as counting for votes.

No employee of The Sun or member

of an employee's family will be allowed

to enter this contest.

The Sun is the final arbiter in all questions that may arise in connection with the contest. Candidates by entering agree to these published conditions.

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Who Are Eligible?

Any white person, man or woman, of good character, residing in the territory covered by The Sun may become a candidate for the honors and the prizes in The Paducah Sun's Greatest Popularity Contest.

Duration—Awards.

The contest starts with today's announcement and will continue till July 4, at 9 p. m., at which time a committee of well-known and trustworthy citizens will be chosen to determine who are entitled to the prizes.

More Than \$2,000 in Prizes.

Following is a description of the magnificent list of prizes offered for the winners in this contest together with the